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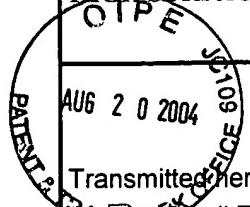
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**HIGH SURFACE AREA MIXED METAL OXIDES**

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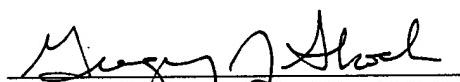
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AMENDMENT

In response to the office action dated June 3, 2004, amendment and reconsideration of the above application is requested.

**Amendment to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.